



18TH JANUARY 2015
2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B

St. Bernardine's Church, Regents Park
 Our Lady of the Assumption Church, Park Ridge
 St. Catherine's Church, Jimboomba

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*The name of Jesus is the glory of preachers,
 because the shining splendour of that name
 causes God's word to be proclaimed and heard.*

GOSPEL REFLECTION

"The Gospel passage does not record any conversation between John and Jesus - but emphasises that John looked hard at Jesus - weighing up the man he saw before him. What he saw - and what he sensed - led him to announce that this man was indeed the one who was to come: the Lamb of God.

Andrew and another disciple are intrigued and set out to follow Jesus. He becomes aware of them and asks what it is they want from Him. Their answer seems strange - they want to know where He lives. His response is to invite them to come to His home and, we are told, they stayed with Him for the whole day. The next day, Andrew finds his brother and tells him about the Messiah he met the day before and takes him to meet Jesus.

Like John the day before, Jesus looks hard at Simon - getting the measure of the man and in the light of what He discerns about him, changes his name to Cephas - or, as we more usually know it, Peter.

The two encounters are life-changing - and yet, seem very ordinary. Jesus was not proclaiming a message - making erudite speeches - or performing great miracles. Instead, He was simply walking past John - and, when Andrew and his friend introduce themselves, takes them to His home and offers hospitality and companionship.

When He meets Peter, He does not ask searching questions or makes solemn declarations - He just looks at him - makes an assessment of his character - and accepts him as a friend.

The simplicity of Jesus' manner reinforces His willingness to receive people 'where they are' - but also to see their potential."

Reflection on the Gospel by Catherine McElhinney and Kathryn Turner

http://www.wellsprings.org.uk/weekly_wellsprings/year_b/sunday_02.htm

Gathering Hymn	GA496 Here I Am, Lord
Psalm Response	Here am I; I come to do your will.
Recessional Hymn	GA487 The Servant Song

MASS TIMES

ST. BERNARDINE'S CHURCH

25 Vergulde Road, Regents Park



Sat 24th Jan 6.00pm

Sun 25th Jan 7.30am, 9.00am

ST. CATHERINE'S CHURCH

74-76 East Street, Jimboomba

Sun 25th Jan 5.30pm

OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION CHURCH

Corner of Stoney Camp Road and
Mt. Lindesay Highway, Park Ridge

Sun 25th Jan 7.30am

ST. PAUL DE CHARTRES CHAPEL

12-16 Fedrick Street, Boronia Heights

Mon 19th Jan 9.00am

Tues 20th Jan 9.00am

Wed 21st Jan 9.00am

Thurs 22nd Jan 9.00am

Fri 23rd Jan 9.00am

(Friday only— Hostel Community Hall)

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Sunday 18th January

The Baptism of the Lord

7.30am Hospitality after Mass

~ St Bernardine's Church

Monday 19th January

10am-11am Prayer Group ~ St Bernardine's Church

Tuesday 20th January

7.00pm Flame of Love Prayer Group

~ St Bernardine's Church

Sunday 25th January

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today's Readings:

1 Sam 3:3-10, 19

1 Cor 6:13-15, 17-20

John 1:35-42

Next Week's Readings:

Jonah 3:1-5, 10

1 Cor 7:29-31

Mark 1:14-20



ST BERNARDINE'S PARISH SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM

Parents who wish their child to receive the sacraments of Reconciliation, Confirmation and Communion in 2015 are invited to attend an enrolment evening for the Sacrament of Reconciliation at **7pm on Thursday 19th February** in **St Bernardine's Church, Regents Park**. Children must be 8 years or older, and baptised Catholic.

Attendance at the enrolment evening is essential. No late enrolments will be taken without prior arrangement.

The cost of the program is \$50, which includes the cost of the stole the child will receive at Confirmation later in the year. Payment should be received within 4 weeks of enrolment.

Please contact Jean at the parish office 38847600

or email

pastoral.stbern@bne.catholic.net.au if you have any queries. Thank you.

St Bernardines Christmas Tree Baubles

The Christmas Tree Baubles are available in the Church for collection they will be in a container located at the side of the Church.

Thank you.

We Pray for those whose Anniversaries occur around this time especially for Aurelio Ladaran and all our deceased relatives and friends, that they may enjoy the vision of God with those in heaven.

Cathedral of St Stephen, Volunteer Guides and Welcomers.

Do you enjoy meeting people? Do you love your Cathedral? Do you revel in good art and juicy history? Talk with us about becoming a volunteer welcomer and guide at the Cathedral of St. Stephen. The commitment is approximately three hours per month on roster and booked tours according to your availability Monday to Friday, mornings or afternoons. The rewards are beyond measure - a wonderful opportunity to delve into the rich history, art and significance of the Cathedral and Precinct and to share it with others. Everyone you meet, greet and guide will become an ambassador for this historic architectural gem which is the mother church of the archdiocese. Volunteering is a sure-fire way to find friends that you didn't even know you had. An information session will be held on Thursday 5 February and a comprehensive five day training program will begin on 12 February and continue each Thursday until completion. Contact the Cathedral office on 3324 3030 or e-mail cathe-dral@bne.catholic.net.au by 30 January if you'd like to share in this mission!

Healing Masses at St Patrick's Church

Rev. Fr. Thomas Bobby Emprayil VC will be celebrating **HEALING MASSES with Eucharistic Adoration** on Wednesday 28th and Thursday 29th Jan 2015 from 5.30 to 8.45pm at St. Patrick's Church, 70 Tobruk Street, Beenleigh, QLD 4207.

Come and experience the eternal love and healing touch of our Lord Jesus. Encourage your loved ones and friends to come and experience the healing touch of the Lord.

EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

For all enquiries please contact: Margaret Keast: 07 38064967

The District Superior
and the Sisters of St. Paul de Chartres Australia
cordially invite

Parishioners of St Bernardine Parish Browns Plains

to join in prayer and thanksgiving

for

The First Profession

of

Sr. Rosario Thi Anh Khuyen, TRAN
Sr. Marion Thi Cao Nguyen, TRAN
Sr. Marie Josephine Thi Thanh Tuyen, PHAN
Sr. Anna Thi Hoa, PHAM
Sr. Marie Claude Thi Soa, VO
Sr. Theresa Maria Thi Xuan, DAO

on Monday, 2 February 2015 at 5.00 pm
at St Stephen Cathedral
249 Elizabeth Street
Brisbane 4000, Australia

**THE MOST REVEREND MARK COLERIDGE
DD BA DSS
Archbishop of Brisbane
Main Celebrant and Homilist**

RSVP: 20th Jan 2015

Email: srtlau@bigpond.net.au ,Phone (07) 38006338

Refreshments after Mass

2015 Lent Program "Rich in Mercy"

You are invited to join us in this program as we journey towards Easter.

There will be six(6) sessions. The format for each session will include a Scripture reading and time for reflection and discussion and time for prayer. Each session will be about an hour and a half duration and we hope people will be able to have a cuppa before leaving.

A morning session could be held at St Catherine's and at St Bernardines and perhaps an evening session can also be run at St Bernardine's.

The location and time of sessions will be dependent on the number of people who are interested in doing the program in preparation for Easter.

We will need to purchase the Lent Program

Booklet which the Office will organised. The cost will be approx. \$8.80 per booklet.

Please contact me at the Parish Office or email me pastoral.stbern@bne.catholic.net.au if you have any queries or would like to register your interest.

Blessings, Jean

Kids

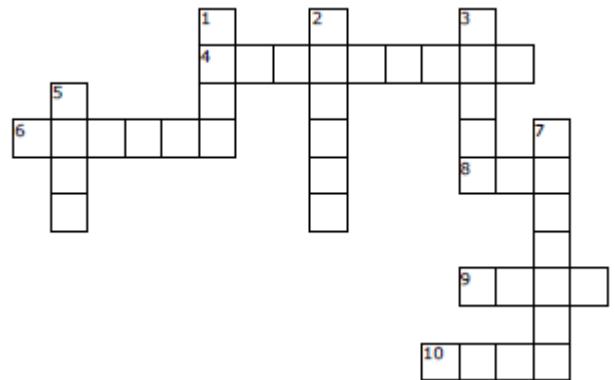
Sharing Your Faith

Corner

"Nazareth! Can anything good come from there?" Nathanael asked. "Come and see," said Philip. John 1:46

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- 15-5-5-11 _____
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- 21-12-16-1-16 _____
- 4-9-12-12 _____
- 8-25-5-17 _____
- 25-6-3-6-9-12-4-26 _____
- 24-7-15 _____



TREE	JESUS	FOLLOW	COME	PHILIP
FIG	NATHANAEL	GOOD	NAZARETH	KNOW

ACROSS

- A friend of Philip
- To come after
- To observe something with your eyes
- A large woody plant with a trunk, limbs, and leaves
- To move toward something

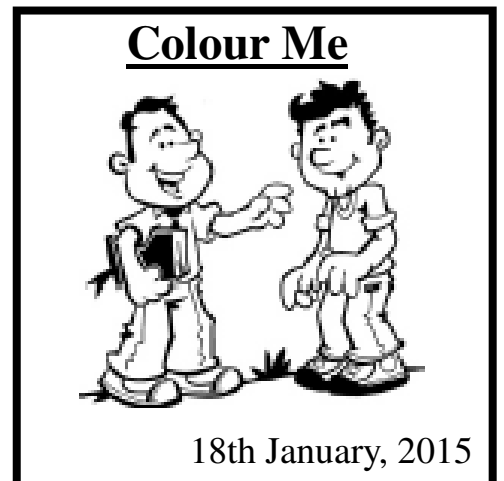
DOWN

- To recognize someone; to be familiar with someone
- A man that Jesus called to be a disciple
- The Son of God
- The opposite of bad
- To accept something as true

TREE	NATHANAEL	COME	PHILIP	BELIEVE
FOLLOW	GOOD	JESUS	SEE	KNOW

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TREE	PETER	COME	CALLED	NATHANAEL
GALILEE	KING	KNOW	NAZARETH	ANDREW
PHILIP	RABBI	FOLLOW	JESUS	ISRAEL



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